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MINERALS PROGRAM  
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July 13, 1989

TO: Board of Oil, Gas and Mining

THRU: Lowell P. Braxton, Associate Director, Mining *LPB*

FROM: D. Wayne Hedberg, Senior Reclamation Specialist/Hydrologist *DWH*

RE: Request for Board Concurrence, Amount and Form of Reclamation Surety and Permit Transfer, Apex Mine, St. George Mining Company/Hecla Mining Company, M/053/004, Washington County, Utah

Attached for your information is a copy of the permit transfer documents, Reclamation Contract (Form MR-RC), and a replacement reclamation surety bond for Hecla Mining Company's, Apex Mine, located in Washington County, Utah. St. George Mining Company (Musto Explorations Ltd.), has recently sold the Apex Mine and mill to Hecla Mining Company.

Hecla Mining Company is anticipating reinitiating mining operations at the Apex Mine in the spring of 1990. They have provided the Division with a reclamation surety bond in the amount of \$54,329.

Upon the Board's acceptance of the amount and form of replacement surety, the Division will issue written approval to finalize the permit transfer between Hecla Mining Company and St. George Mining Company.

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Attachments  
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